LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

A Ramble Through the Washington Navy Yard-No. 2. We will now visit

THE MACHINISTS' DEPARTMENT, under the direction of Chief Engineer Hunt, (Mr. George Wilson, foreman.) Here there is a steam engine (Mr. Jehn Pick, engineer,) of sixty-horse power, driving the machinery in this and the block shop, the fan-blower for the anchor and tool forges, (eight in number,) and also a large pair of shears for cutting scrapiron in the puddling shop. In this department there are four divisions, supplied with large and small lathes of various descriptions, planing and boring machines, drills, and one of Gay, Silver & Co 's cog-wheel cutting machines. Steam-engines are here fitted. In this department were made the engines for the United States steamers Union, Water Witch, and John Hancock, and some five or six engines now in operation in the yard, besides a large number of force pumps, and machinery for testing steamboat boilers, manufactured for the Treasury Department, and forwarded to the inspectors of steamboats throughout the United States; and here will be built the two truck engines, of four hundred and fifty horse power each, for the new steam-frigate 'Minnesota." The cylinders of these engines will be each seventy-nine inches in dismeter, with three feet stroke. Connected with this building there is a pattern shop, (Mr. B. McKenny, foreman,) where patterns for all descriptions of castings are prepared. In this department there are sixty-nine hands employed We will now step into

THE BLOCK SHOP, (adjoining,) under the superintendence of Col. boring machines, drills, an improved bushing might easily be beguiled into waiting and machine, and turning lathes. Block making in all its branches is here carried on. Sabots for shot and shell, wooden fuze stocks for shrapnel, blue-light, and false fire cups, and all other descriptions of turning are here executed. There are ten hands employed in this side, and was reposing in the stillness of eterdepartment. Let us next pass to

THE NEW FOUNDERY. under the superintendence of Mr. Chief Engineer Hunt, (Mr. William H. Bland, foreman.) Here there is a steam engine (Mr. Combs Grinwell, engineer,) of about fifteenfor the largest iron castings. There are, also, machine-all designed to execute the heaviest iron work. In this building, shot, shells, bedplates, and other castings are made. Here the cylinder for the steamer Fulton, thirteen feet in length, and fifty two inches inside the company. Then came the toasts, songs, diameter, (weighing 14,058 pounds,) was re-cently cast and finished Over the machinery in this building there is a depository for all kinds of patterns for preservation. There are dery at the present time. We will now proceed to take a view of THE BOILER SHOP.

under the direction of Mr. Chief Engineer Hunt, (Mr. Thomas Champion, foreman.) and grindstones in the boiler shop. In this facture several hundred buoys for the lighthouse board of the Treasury Department, to rivers, and harbors of the country. Within house board, one hundred buoys, complete. of the first, second, and third classes. In this department several steam boilers have been manufactured for the engines built here, and for various vessels; and the beilers for the new steamer "Minnesota" (four in number) boilers are to be each cleven feet five inches ployed. Let us now pass into

THE SHIP-SMITH'S AND CHAIN CABLE SHOP. under the direction of Mr. James Tucker, (Messrs. William Morgan and Henry Ober, all sizes, from two and one-half inches diameter to the smallest-size chain, are manufactured for the entire navy. The chains here manufactured, long experience has demonus next drop into

THE JOINER'S DEPARTMENT, under the direction of Mr. B. B. Curran, (Mr. Lewis Marceron, foreman.) Attached to this building there is a small steam-engine for driving a circular saw, one of Wright's upright seroll saws, one of Otis's machines, and two tenoning machines. This is a spacious and convenient shop for the execution of all kinds of house-carpentry and ship-joiner's work. The reveral beautiful and substantial buildings recently erected at the yard, evidence the finished style and great There are fifty hands here employed. Annexed to this joiner's shop is THE YARD CARPENTER'S, WHEELWRIGHT'S, AND

COOPER'S SHOP, under the direction of Mr. James R. McCathran. The work here done, consiste of fitting frames for pile drivers, making timber-wheels, carts, wheelbarrows, buckets, cans, &c, &c. In this shop there are 14 hands employed. The upper story of this building is occup ed

THE MOULD LOFT AND NAVAL CONSTRUCTOR'S OFFICE.

(Mr S M. Pook, naval constructor; Mr. Edhe seen models of a large number of our national ships, (some of which were built at this moulds for the "Minnessia," were laid down, and may yet be seen. We will now pass on to

THE SHIP-HOUSE. This structure was originally 232 feet in length, and about 75 feet in width. Lately, 72 feet have been added to the eastern end, to give tength, under cover, for the building of the Commences at 7½ o'clock.
"Minnesota"—making its present length 304 feet. The steam-frigate now in process of constuction is 265 feet 8 inches between perpendiculars, and from knighthead to tafrail 287 feet 7 inches. Beam moulded 50 feet 2 inches Depth of hold to gundeck, 26 feet 21 inches. nesota" is termed a 50-gun frigate, but may mount upwards of sixty guns of heavy calibre. Bearing in mind the appearance of the lines the noble frame of the ship, (now nearly cominitiated in the mysteries of naval architecture. Here Genius, Skill, and Taste months in jail and fined \$1. display their triumphs, whilst Labor develops its might and power. Naval Constructor Pook and his energetic assistants are rapidly but safely pushing this majestic work to completion; and, unless the signal around us be deceptive, the "Minnesota" will grace. fully glide into the Potomac early in the ensuing fall-equal, if not superior, to any of her five sisters-the pride of the Navy, and the boast of our mechanics. There are now employed on this ship 196 ship-carpenters, and 116 borers, sawyers, laborers, &c Total 312.

Let us now step over to THE NEW SAW-MILL AND BLOCK SHOP.

This fine and commodious building has a for the "Minnesota" are now being put up in seate, will induce early attendance.

this department, and the machinery and saws are being arranged, preparatory to commen elag operations, under the immediate supervision of Mr Thomas E. Williams, inspector of timber. There are at present only three hands employed in this establishment

THE DYING GLADIATOR continues to attract large crowds of visitors daily. It is now very evident that it is to be visited by evey one in Washington who can raise the wherewithal to purchase a ticket. All unite in its praise. By the by, Mrs. Ellis, the celebrated authoress of the "Women of England," in her charming novel of "The Bennetts Abroad," says of the original:

"I have since beheld the Dying Gladiatora wonderful work of art. . . Its simplicity is such that it does not strike at first; . . the admiration comes afterward, and in a tide sufficiently deep and strong. I had been pre-disposed by the criticisms of Bell on the works of art in Rome to lean rather to the opinion of the anatomist than the poet, and to think that Byron had only dreamed when he fancied so much expression in the countenance of a dying slave. But after looking for some time at this figure, I detected myself imagining what must have been his thoughts, rather than his bodily sensations, in that last moment of existence. His utter abstraction from the present scene. the shutting out, as it were, from his mind of the thousands around him, is very evident on his depressed and fading countenance, for such one may surely call it, when almost every one is deceived into the imagination of an extraordinary and livid paleness diffused over the sinking features

"I had expected to see more of muscular distortion, at least more swelling of the muscles, and perhaps some heaving of the chest; but at the moment we behold the dying gladiator his agony is past. . . So powerfully is shoe a horse. this impression produced upon the beholder, Amon Woodward. Here we see circularsaws, that one scarcely dares to leave him thus, and waiting, until one had just seen him fall. You will think me absurd when I say that, for many days after I had seen the dying gladiator, I was haunted by a wish to know that he had actually fallen down upon that bleeding

COMPLIMENT TO THE KUNKEL TROUPE -Last night, the worthy host of the Arlington House set his tables, and adorned them in the most splendid style with a supper, ordered by the Franklin Fire Company as a parting compliherse power, blowing the fans for two cupola ment to their friends of the Kunkel Troupe. furnaces, which are capable of melting metal We regret that want of room prevents us from giving a full account of all that was said and a large cylinder boring apparatus, a screw-lathe for turning shafts, &c., and a planing was allowed that could possibly cause dissatisfaction. The speeches of President Canfield and Mr. Paine, of the Franklin, and the replies of Messrs. Kunkel and Ford, of the Troupe, were excellent, and well received by and yarns, done up in the best style, and eccupying the remainder of the evening. Beautiful and amusing songs were sung by Messrs. Kunkel, Harry Lehr, Master Adams, Cooley, thirty-seven hards employed in the iron foun- Hill, Joe Brown, and others whose names we did not obtain. Solos on the flute and banjo were performed by Mr. Handy, and Joe Brown caused a vast deal of merriment by spinning during the holidays, and the stock daily reexcited genuine friendly feelings even in the Here there is a small steam engine, (Mr. John | bad heart of the editor of the New York Herald. Serro, engineer) of fifteen horse power, with The company remained in the saloon till 12 tain good books as their own price. a fan-blower attached, blowing thirty-seven o'clock, and parted with many wishes for the

A TRIP FOR SUNDAY .- Thousands in Wash department there are now in course of manu- ington have never been in Christ's Church, Alexandria, in which George Washington was in their laudable enterprise. accustomed to worship for years. One finds be distributed throughout the various bays, there the pew which he occupied, kept just in the state in which he left it at his death. Bullard's Panorama of New York City exhi- ply on Eighteenth, two doors south of G. the past two years there have been manufac. The church itself is one of the old colonial bits in the Island Hall, next Monday evening edifices which, for neatness, appropriateness, and substantial character are not excelled by any American churches of modern times. It stands according to the fashion of its times, in the midst of what was once the parish grave. yard, throughout which venerable trees rear their heads, bending their branches gracefully are now in progress of construction. These and mournfully as it were over the hundreds of old tomb-stones, many of them carved with tained the occupants of the buildings burned long, fourteen feet wide, and fourteen feet quaint devices, which are to be seen there in on Chesnut and Fifth streets lose \$210,000, deep, and will have a fire surface, each, of all directions. After church, the visitor from 3,000 superficial feet. In the boiler shop Washington will find spread out at Newton's there are one hundred and one hands en- Mansion House such a dinner as is not to be This is exclusive of the loss of buildings, which obtained often outside the limits of the Old | must exceed \$100,000, mostly insured. Many Dominion. The Mansion House has been long famous for its capital table, making it a great resort for those, who finding time hanging foremen.) Here there are thirty forges, where heavily on their hands in Washington on Sunall descriptions of iron forging for ship's work | days, visit Alexandria to drive away ennui by and machinery are done, and chair cables of | a change of scene and the enjoyment of a real old-fashioned Virginia dinner.

FOUR COMPANIES IN THE FIELD .- The farewell of the Kunkels promises to be a rich treat | mission in one of the Waterford militia registrated, are equal, if not superior, to those for the crowd that will attend the National tomade in any part of the world-the iron for | night. The splendid burlesque of Macbeth. chains being subjected to the severest tests and the comic opera of Oh Hush, will be perbefore it is received. In this building there formed by the Kunkels. Joe Brown will ap- allies. His view, enforced with his peculiar is also a hydraulic proving machine, for test- pear in two great dances. The Amphions, for powers of oratory, is that the only means of ing each section (ninety feet) of chain, after | whose benefit this evening is set apart, sing a securing the West of Europe against the enhaving been manufactured. In connection number of beautiful quartettes. The talented croashments of Russia is the Reconstruction with this department there is likewise an iron | and popular Washington Minstrels also appear, | of Peland, followed by the restoration of the filing and finishing shop. There are ninety having, with the splendid company of Har- lately subjugated and suppressed nationality hands employed in this establishment. Let meneans, volunteered for this occasion. Thus of the Continent. offering combined attraction unequalled in the annals of amusement. Four companies, the Harmoneans, Minstrels, Amphions and Kunkels, all on one evening. at the usual rate of admission. The Kunkels depart westward, and we regret to say it will be long ere we will have the pleasure of seeing them again.

INTERESTING CASE .- Wm F. Booth was arrested, vesterday, charged with obtaining money under false pretences in two cases. He States benator. was taken before Justice Morsell, who, after hearing the evidence, ordered him to give bail extent of the work done in this department. for Court. Booth stood on his dignity, and sident of the United States was drunk with told the justice to make his bail as high as he all the honors. pleased, as he was able to give it; but when he sent for his friend, he would not come forth would soon be out of their custody, as he had Missouri. taken strychnine. The officers were very much pleased at the promised riddance, but they could not persuade him to die, and they had to take him to jail.

Augustus Kane.-This person, whom we been appointed Consul to Marsailles. noticed on Thursday as having been arrested for an attempted robbery at the house of Mrs. ward Foster, foreman) This loft is 200 feet McQuillan, was examined before Mr. Justice in length, and 65 feet in width. There may Donn, on that afternoon, and discharged. Some witnesses swore positively to his identity with the man whom they had seen at the yard,) as also several designs for vessels here | house, and others as positively that the pris- attended with more than ordinary interest. tofore proposed to be constructed. On this oner was at another place during the time; Their prominent object was to compare notes, moor the lines, preparatory to making the and the latter evidence preponderated in favor of the individual, and he was discharged.

NAVY YARD, LAST EVENING.—The Panorama of New York City gives its last exhibition at the Navy Yard, this evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall. It drew a full house there last evening,

CRIMINAL COURT .- This court is not in session to-day. The following cases were disposed of yesterday: Henrietta Ingraham, negro, larceny-10 months in jail and fined \$1. James O'Sullivan, larceny-6 months in Measurement about 3,000 tons. The "Min- jail and fined \$1. John Ogleton, negro, larceny-4 months in jail and fined \$1. Edward

L. Johnson, negro, larceny—8 months in jail and fined \$1. William Cropsey, assault and as seen in the mould loft, and then viewing battery-3 months in jail and fined \$1. Thes Hanson, negro, assault and battery-1 month pleted,) the similarity between the image and in jail and fined \$1. Mordecai Carpenter, nethe reality will be apparent even to the un- gro, assault and battery-I month in jail and fined \$1. Isaiah Countee, negro, larceny-7

LIGHT! MORE LIGHT! - Many persons have complained to us of the dimness of the light of late furnished by the Washington Gas Company. They say that, some how or other, it refuses to burn brightly and smokes shockingly. This is quite a change indeed, the company's gas being formerly noted for the brilliancy of its light and its freedom from smoke If the company do not remedy these evils shortly they will have half Washington after them with a sharp stick.

of forty horse power, made in Pittsburg for the Memphis yard, but, on account of the abandonment of that naval station, turned over to this. The stoves for steaming plank over to this. The stoves for steaming plank

nell's Reporter the following list of new coun-

terfeits : Merchants' Bank, Burlington, Vt., 5's spurious Vignette, two females. Miserably will probably be appointed commissioner on Grocers' and Producers' Bank, Providence. R. I., 5's, altered from 1's. Vignette, two

females.

Bank of Bainbridge, Penn Yan, N. Y., 10's, letter A, dated June 1, 1850. Engraving very coarse—has the appearance of a wood out. Island City Bank, New York. 10's altered from 1's. Vignette, ship building, &c. City Bank, New Haven, Ct. 5's, letter A. pop" or "Randall's mead." Anything beyond Variously filled up. This a very dangerous this will be sufficient cause for instant decap-

counterfeit Bank of North America, Seymour, Ct. 5's, altered from 1's. Vignette, figure of Fame. Falmouth Bank, Falmouth, Mass 3's spurious Vignette, a female and agricultural im-

Farmers' Bank, Lansingburg, N. R. 10's, altered from from 1's. Vignette, train of cars. White Plains Bank, White Plains, N. Y. 5's and 10's, altered from 2's. Vignette, fe-

male and sheaves of grain Shoe and Leather Dealers' Bank, Boston, Mass. 50's and 100's altered from 1's. Vignette, warehouse, &c. Shoemakers and curriers on ends.

Merchants' Bank, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. 5's spurious. Vignette, two figures, one pointing Street Theatre. towards a vessel. Miserably done. Bank of Fort Edward, Fort Edward, N. Y. 5's, letter A, variously dated. Vignette, fe- is considered somewhat easier. male holding a staff on which is liberty cap— at her side a shield, flags, &c. Has the ap-

pearance of a very poor wood cut. Bank of Bath, Bath, Maine. 5's, 10's and 20's altered from 1's Vignette, a blacksmith Jewett City Bank, Jewett City, Conn 20's

altered from 2's Vignette, Declaration of Independence. Westminster Bank, Providence, R. I. 1's spurious Vignette, two females, one holding demostic) ever effected assortment (foreign and a pair of scales.

Mechanics' Bank, Sgracuse, N. Y. 1's spurious. Vignette, a female and a sailor. U. S. CIRCUIT COURT .- Dec. 16, 1854 .- Cam-

eron vs. Sniffin-The jury in this case had not returned a verdict when we went to press. Rumpff vs. Mohun-This case was tried this morning. The defence pled usury, the claim Albums, Annuals and Heliday Presents, for 1855 being for payment of a note of hand. Carrington for plaintiff, and Davidge and Pleasants for defendant. The jury have the case. Jesse Nelson vs. John Cornell-Petition for freedom. Davidge and Neale for defence, and Ennis for petitioner. Both parties to this case

THE ATTENTION OF THE READER is directed to the advertisement in another column of this paper, for the sale at auction, this evening, at for the long winter evenings, as all can be suited. No. 474, Pennsylvania avenue, a very choice Don't forget the place, at the New Usion Bookstore, collection of new and valuable books The 474 Pennsylvenia avenu. collection embraces nearly all the standard works of the day, miscellaneous, law books, anuals for 1855, together with a choice lot of gold pens, stationary, &c. We understand FOR REVI-THE COMMODIOUS AND CON-New York, thus giving a chance to all to ob-

columns, give a ball at Temperance Hall, on the 27th instant, in aid of their library. Fail not to be present to assist the Americus boys

ON THE ISLAND NEXT MONDAY EVENING .and Tuesday afternoon and evening, at 32 and

WATCH RETURNS .- Jno. Van Essen, drunk fine and costs. Rezin Estep, drupk in the

THE PHILADELPHIA FIRE -As far as asceron which there is an insurance for \$95,000 of the occupants had not been heard from, so that the total loss is not yet known.

PERSONAI.

.... The Waterford (Ireland) News states that Mr. Henry Meagher, brother of the well known Irish political exile, has got a com-

.... Kossuth has delivered a great speech in England on the war and the errors of the

.... It is said that Mr. Vanderbilt is now building two fine steamers upon the general plan of the North Star, to ply from New York to Havre or Liverpool, and that they will be ready for son in the course of the coming

.... The Worcester Palladium mentions a rumor that Rufus Choat has joined the Know Nothings, and will be a candidate for United

.... At a dinner given to the governor of Australia, in Bendigo, the health of the Pre-

.... Rev. Dr. W. L. Breckinridge declines Booth then pretended to be taking something accepting the second invitation to become as a medicine, and told the officers that he President of Westminister College, at Fulton,

.... Hon. Stephen A. Douglas and Hon. Robt. Johnson, of U. S. Senate, have reached this city.

BALTIMORE CORRESPONDERCE.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 15-P. M The meeting of our dentists, yesterday, was derived from practical observation, with reference to the effect of anesthetic agents, or ether, upon patients, and to take some steps towards securing the pardon of Dr. Beale, now in the penitentiary of Pennsylvania, under the conviction of a supposed outrage upon Migs Mudge. Quite a number of interesting cases and incidents were cited, in which this wonderful agent had similar effects to those pronounced upon the lady in question. In one case, a negro imagined himself to have been in desperate conflict with a mad bull, and finally vanquished the enraged animal; and even to the present day this patient cannot have his mind disabused of the glorious triumph he achieved in whipping the beast. He conceives it the crowning hour of his life. Others, both ladies and gentlemen, were overcome by the most singular hallucinations, which required months of time, and the most cogent facts, even to shake their faith in what they fancied had taken place. Other cases were narrated, which gave convincing proof of the importance of having a third party present during the administering of ether; and had not such fortunately been the case, those who operated might have been in the same condition as that of Dr. Beale, of Philadelphia. It was also suggested that dentist's hereafter, for their own safety and protection, should require the attendance of a witness when giving anæsthetic agents to their patients. The convention finally arrived at the conviction that no one was a competent witness to detail circumstances which they may imagine happened to themselves or others whilst under REVIVAL-BAPTISM.—The revival at 13th the influence of these agents. The convention street Baptist Church continues with increased finally appointed a committee to confer with new steam-engine, (Mr. D. Sherry, engineer,) interest and success. Besides the usual servi- their brother dentists in Philadelphia, New

It is the almost unanimous opinion of our den-

New Counterpriss. - For the benefit of the | tal faculty that the unfortunate victim of Miss readers of the "Star," we extract from Bick. | Mudge's strange hallucinations is innocent. There are rumors here that the distinguished author of Captain Canot has joined the mysterious order of Know Nothings, and that he

> bequest. I de not youch for the truth of this, but it has rather a substantial semblance. Mayor Hinks, I am told, is quite busily engaged making selections for the green bag to be sent in soen after the Council meets at its regular session. He is said to be peculiarly exacting upon the scorce of temperance, and will tolerate nothing stronger than "ginger

the part of Baltimore to adjust the McDonough

I observe that the Baltimore American and the Pathfinder are in ambitious rivalry, to see which can issue the greatest amount of pictures, (wood cuts,) &c., of the operations in the Crimea. The Pathfinder is one ahead, as it issues, besides the recent views of Sebastopol, a complete map of the city of Baltimore. There is considerable growling here among the Democracy about the rumored appointment of Francis Grund to the consulate at Marseilles. If the appointment is made, the growlings will show themselves in open rebellion. Mr. G. is a fine writer, but an unstable

Forrest is drawing crowds at the Front Business remains quiet. There is no special change in the principal commodities. Money

politician.

BEN BOLT.

TAXTENSIVE AND EXPRAORDINARY SALE o cheice and valuable Books, Stationery, &c., at Auction and Private Sal -. Commencing on SAT-URD 1Y, December 16, at Fitz erald's Store, 474 Pennsylvania avenue. ftock all new and perfect, direct from New York trade sales, comprising the domestic) ever offered in this marke', consisting of school, cassicul, law, medical, and Miscel'aneous Books, in every department of litera-

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The above stock will be open for examination and are colored. The jury were being sworn as private sale during the day, to which all are respect fully invited, whether they wish to purchase or not, and offered at auction every evening until the entire stock shall be disposed of.

N. B. A rare opportunity is now offered for re-plenishing libraries with choice reading at low rates,

For Sale and Rent.

this sale will be continued every evening I veniently arranged House at the owner Pean. plenished from one of the largest houses in and Music Store of Hilbus & Hits, containing sev- ner of Bridge and High streets, we will sell his enenteen rooms, besides the basement rooms. fome tize stock. We name in part of the rooms are large, and all are conveniert'y ar | Hogsheads sugar, barrels of Molagres ranged, the whole house being well finished and Barrels refined Sugar, large stock of Teas capitally suited for a boarding house or lodging Brandy, Whiskey, Wines, and o her Liquors in bar forges in the boiler and smith's shops, and return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the evening when all would meet be seen by reference to our advertising for a return of the return of the return of the return of the return of for a resson able to furcish it well, and compet nt | Imperial and other fine and fresh Teas to conduct such an establishment. Apply at this large stock of Salt

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nished Parlors, with gas fictores. The house s located in the best part of the city, near the Poet | chail sell all his farmiture and Household Effects Office. Apply at the Jewelry Store of M SEMKEN, comprising— No 330 Pa. avenue, bet. 9 h and 10th ets. dec 16-34

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EVERY MAN HIS OWN LANDLORD.—TER Union Land Association have now lithographed piate of Uniontown, situated on the Eastern branch of the Potomac river, directly opposite the Navy Yard, and invit: the public to examine the same at

Eligible Building Lois, on graded 60 feet wide streets, fronting 24 feet and running back 180 feet, are now offered at the very low price of \$75, pavable in easy installments of \$3 a month, until the whole is paid, when a deed in fee simple will be executed to each lot holder; a deduction of 10 per cent. will be allowed to persons paying cash. The location is one of acknowledged healthfulness and beauty, with an abundant supply of excellent water. Persons desirous of precuring a house and lot upon very favorable conditions of payment, should make immediate application, as a similar opporturity will never again be presented.

N. B — A large quantity of chesput post and oak wood for sale cheap. JOHN FOX, Secretary, Office, Seventh st, above Odd Fellows' Hall. OR RENT-Possession given immediately—the

late office of the Evening Star, on D st., within fifty yards of its junction with Tweifth street and Pa. avenue. The building is of two stories. The lower story being divided into three convenient rooms, and the upper being a large single room. It will afford two convenient small shops, fronting on D street, with ample working room in the rest. Also a convenient painter's or carpenter's or other mechanics' work shop above. Apply at Etar office.

FOR SALE.—SEVERAL FARMS NORTH OF Washington city, containing from thirty-five to one hund ed and fity acres, convenient to churches and schools, and good society, from three to six miles from town. Persons desirous of market, CHARLES DIGGES nov 24-im

VERY DESIRABLE STORE TO LET -THE store on the east side of Bleventh street, one door north of Penns, Ivania avenue, lately occupied by Mr. Dyer as an auction and commission store, is for rent low to a good tenant. Also, the

House above the store Apply to G. A. RANDALL, Corner Twelsth and D streets. Auction Bales.

By GREEN & SCOTT, Auctioneers. HOUSEHOLD AND RITCHEN FURNITURE at
Auction—On TUESDAY, the 19 hinstant, we
shall sell, at 10 o'clock a m., at the residence of J.
W. Hauptman. No. 509 Eleventh street, three doors sou'h of Pa. svenue, a good and general ass rtment of Furniture, viz:

Mah gany 8 fas Lounges and Rocking Chairs

Do dressing and other Bureaus and Wesh

stands Feather Beds, Bedding, and Bedsteads
A good assertment of China, glass and Crockery

Three ply, legrein, stair, and other Carpets ar Cane and wood feat Chairs and Looking Glasses Andirons, Shovel and Tongs, and Fenders Stoves, and a good as ortment of Cooking Utensil: With many other articles which we deem unn ces-

sery to enumera'e. Terms: Under \$25 cash; over \$25 a credit of cash two, three, and four mouths, for notes satisfactori ly endorsed, bearing interest
GREEN & SCOTT,

Auctioneers. By E. S. WRIGHT, Anctioneer. Georgstown.

JURNITURE, REAL ESTATE &c , at Arc lon . On THURSDAY nex', the 21st instant, t 10 o'clock a m, I shall 'ell. without reserve, at the tight. residence of the late Mrs. Elizabeth G. slee, on Second street, the entire household Effects, consisting

Mahogany and other Tables Chairs, Carpets. Sideboard, Sofa Crockery and Glassware Feather Rids, B.ds eads Bedding Looking Glases, Stoves, Ac. With the usu-I Kitchen Fornitare Also, at 12 o'clock, the House and Lot, being Let 94 in Throldke d's a dition fronting on the corner

E. S. WRIGHT. By J. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer. DURNITURE, & .- On WEDNESDAY morning, D. comber 20th, at 10 o'clock, at the residence of J. B. Sellick, Ksq , on K street, between Sixth and Seventh, I shall sell—

Mahogany spring sofa Chair Do Oard Tables, Glass Carpets, Rugs, Oilcloths Bedsten's, Mattresses, Bedding Washstands Toilet Sets Diging Tables, cane s at Chairs China, Gisas and C ockery. Ware Cooking and other Stoves Toge her with a good assortment of Kitchen Uter

Terms: Under \$20 cash; over \$20 a credit of \$0 and 60 day, for notes satisfactority endorsed, beet-ing interes'. JAS. C. McGUIRE, Au ti neer.

By R. H. JEWELLE & CO., Aucts OUBLE AND SINGLY at Auction -Ou SAT- tor from this State. Uh Dar, Die m'er isth, at 3% o'd'k, in fr ni of our Auc ion Po m . 317 Pennagivania avenue,

We stall se'l-I si ele Car. lage I two horse do., in good condition. Terms of a'e: 30 and 60 days fir notes sai far

orily endorsed, bearing in erest. R. H. JEWELLE & CO., Auctioneers. By BARNARD & BUCKEY.

ARGE STOCK OF FAMILY GROCERIES AT Ancien .- On MONDAY, the 18th its aut, at 10 tie are not large. ever the new Piano | o'clock a. bt., at the store of Mr. W. H. Tenney, cor-

> Cigars, Spices, Oil Prunes and Pickles Tobacco, Souff, lot of Fire rant e s Brooms, Brushes, Woodware, Baskets Also, all the Store Fixtures, Scales, &c.

Aiso, a large humber of Poots and Shoes, coarse and fine-w ried, with many other goods not herein rentioned. "Also, 20 b shels Clover Said. WM H. THNNEY. erms at sale.

By J. C. McQUIRE, Auctioneer. CUPELB SEVEN OCTAVE CHICKERING P ancforte, Excellent Cabinet Furniture. Superio Down and Feather Bels, Redeing, Carpets, Curtairs Gilt frame Mirrors, Carriage, Horses, Buggy, ko-On TAUKSDAY morning, Recember 21st, a 10 rested here this morning on a charge of mur-o'clock, at the restience of James Morse, Esq., and dering his illegitimate child, and was commit-the east side of Twe f h, between E and F street. I ted for examination. He is a married man.

BARNAND & BUCKEY,

Auctioneers

Superb seven oc'ave Pianoforte, by Chickering, in righly carved resewood case style Louis XIV. French plate mantel and plat Glasses, in rich gilt frances

Suite of r sewood plush covered parlor furni ure comprising large French and pair Tete a Tete Sofas, arm and parler Chairs Rosewood and Egyptian marble top Centre and Side T bies

Rush sest fancy erm and reception Chairs Writing Deak, Marb'e Vases Ten tand ome Oil Paintings, Engravings Superior me hogar y plu h overed patent Reading

Wainut Etageres, Music Etand, Stool

Ch ir Excellent spring seat Lounges, Essy Cosies Brussels and three ply Carpets, Oilcloth, Rugs Suites of demask and Lice Curtains, Phades, Cor nice and Fistures Mahogany Extension dining Table, 25 feet M rble top Sideboard, do. Besufet

Dining Chairs, Side Tables, Lounges. Kiegan gold band Dinner Set ichly decorated tea, c.ffee and despert Se s Fine Bohemian and cut Glassware Very superior office furniture, consisting of mahog-

any Bookeases, Secretaries, Desks, Writing Tables, &c. hishogany and walnut Bedsteads Do and rosewood Wardrobes, Washstands Dressing Tables, Bureaus, Chairs Very superior Feather Beds, Bolsters & Fillows Heir at d husk Matresses, Comforts Excellen' Blankets Counterpanes, &c. Brass tound Silver Chest, of Tea Wood Mahogany Crib, Commodes, Mirrors Steel Fire Irons, Fenders, Stoves

Together with a large number of useful articles not necessary to enumerate. At 4 o'clock, in front of the premises, I shall

A rair of handsone bay carriage Horses, perfectly broke, and work wall in single or double harness or under the saddle Excellent family Carriage and top Buggy, built to order by one of the very best builders in New

Single and druble Harness Covers, &c. Terma: \$30 and under cash; over that sum a credit of 2 and 4 month, for notes satisfactorily endorsed, bearing interest.

P. S .- The house is for rent; inquire on the premises, or of the Auctioneer JAS C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

By J. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

of the late A Favier, comprising—
A very large and complete sett of Coppers, consist. ing of Ham, Turbo , Rock fish and Foup Bollers Saucerace, Basins for preserves, &c. large quantity of Moulds for Jellies, Nogats, Sponge

Forming the most complete set ever offered for sale in the District Also, two e cellent Work Horses Two Carryalls and Harness Together with a general assortment of Househol

Terms cash. By order of the administrator.

JAS. C. MoGUIRE, dec 12-d

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

SHALL OPEN on the 12th or 13th of December the first large invoice of new style of Diamond and other Jewelry, Fancy Silverware, Oard Receiv | will duly appreciate the pressing necessity for iners, Work Soxes, Vases, Figures, Table and Mantel Crusments, Fans Card Cares, Porte Monusies Dresden thina Ornaments, and a variety of bic cents for each ilde for all persons except children in Nacks, suitable for Holiday Gitts The Goods will be arranged for inspection on the 14th ins ant. The of all omnibuses running in New York and Baltipublicate invited to call. Politeness and civility will ce extended to all, whether purchasers or not H. SEMKEN, Jeweler,

Formerly Warring & Semiles. Pa avenue, between 9 h an! lothat dec 8-dt24th

STEAM CRACKER BAKERY. C street, between 41/2 and 6th streets.

WiE above estab ishment is e'fil in successful operation. Improved machinery, driven by sand Tenth streets, directly over Messrs Galt's Jew-steam, enables the subscriber to fill all orders prompt clry Store. C. D. STEWART, Prop'r. steam, enables the subscriber to hil all orders prompt ly, and to furnish work equal in quality to any establishment in the country.

On hand and ready for delivery a large stock of fresh Soda, Butter, Water, and Sugar CRACKERS, Pis Nics, Wine, Biscuit, and Ground CRACKERS.

Believing that a strictly cash business is best for his statement of the country.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Expressly for the Daily Evening Star.

Bank of Springfield, Ill. New York, Dec. 16 .- We have information, this morning, that the Bank of Springfield,

Illinois, has gone into liquidation. Fires at Vincennes. Burrato, Dec. 16.—There has been a fire in Market street, Vincennes, Indiana. Several

buildings are in ashes. Loss 60,000.

Extensive Libel Suit.

New York, Dec. 16 .- The Austrian Consul here intends to prosecute all the papers throughout the country for libel, who published the report of his frrudulently obtaining \$30,000 worth of goods and then absconded.

The Markets.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15-Cotton and coffee

are depressed here to-day, and money is very CHARLESTON, Dec. 16 .- Trade is in a dingling way here to-day, everything being dull of

Baltimore Markets, &c BALTIMORE, Dec. 16 .- Howard street flour is held at \$8.60; City Mills \$8 25. 15,000 of Second and Fa ette sireet, Geo getown 60 by 140 feet, with the improvements, being a good twe- 17,000 bushels of corn sold—white, 82a83c., yellow, 85c. Other articles unchanged.

Dispatches from Pittsburg and Cincinnati represent business as being dull there, especially in previssons.

The Western rivers are falling.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 .- Sales of 4,000 bbls. flour at yesterday's prices. 4,000 bushels fine wheat sold at \$1.98, prices apparently tending upwards. Corn advancing and prices tending upwards-40,000 bushels mixed sold at 97 ets. Cotton dull. Stocks dull.

Re-Election of Senator Butler. COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 15 .- Hon. A. P. But-

Heavy Failure. CHARLESTON, Dec. 15 -A cotton factor of

this city is reported to have failed; liabilities

Failure at Boston.

Cutter, Brodhead & Ciapp. stock and exchange brokers. is announced to-day. Their liabili-Doubtful Bazk, &c. NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- Rumors adverse to

the Farmers' and Citizens' Bank of Williams-

Considerable of a run on the Savings Bank

burg were current here this afternoon.

Boston, Dec 15 -The failure of Mesers.

of this city continues to be made. \$120,000 were paid out yesterday. Arraignment of Wendell Phillips. Boston, Dec, 15 .- Wendell Phillips, Esq. appeared in the United States Circuit Court this morning, and gave bail in the sum of \$1,500 dollars to appear in March next to an-

swer the charge of resistance to the United States marshal at the time of the Burns ren-At his request, the following persons were allowed to become his bondsmen: Messrs. George W. Phillips H. A. Bowdwatch, R. B.

Apthorp, Samuel May, C. M. Blis, and Francis Jackson. Isaac Smith, a shoemaker by trade, was ar-

Boarding.

DOOMS AND SOARD .- SEVERAL LARGE AND pleasant unfurnished rooms for families or s gentlemen, with board, will be let at MAS. HALL'S. No. 452 Thirteenth street. nov 29-1m*

Wants.

CERVANTS WA- TED FOR 1855 IN ALEXAN. oria county, Va .- The undersigned wishes to h re or the year 1855, at his resid noe in Alexandria county, Virginia, a negro Man, Roy, and women. The Man and Boy to be accustomed to farm work, and the Woman to socking and washing. Competent and faithful servants will find a good home with him These in ing such server, which they deries to hire in Alexandra county, will please apply in person or by letter, "s soon as possible, to the undersigned at the Star offi w, Washington city. W. D. WALLACH.

W ANTED .- A ROOM IN A RESTECTABLE German family, with or without board, for a ntleman. Address "P" at his office.

WANTED -BY A GENTLEMAN WHOSE TIME i unemple ed after 12 m., employment as a copylat. Having some knowledge of mercantile accounts, would not chiest to taking charge of a set of books Address HENRY through the Post office. ANTED-A MAN WHO UNDERSTANDS

driving a wagon and is acquainted in the city.

must write a good hand, to deliver Grocery. A man acquainted with the business required. 'all on T. DELENAY, Store, La avenue, op osit the Fank of Washington. Fancy Store on Pennsylvania avenue. The s tuation will not be permanent only during the bur seas n Fefe ence required as to respectabili-

ty, honesty, &c. Address, with name and reference 'JPR," City Post Office, Washington, D. C. dec 14 - 11 WANTED-A YOUTH, FROM THIRTSEN TO fifteen years of age, to attend in a variety stere. Gord reference required. Address "JPR."

City Post Office, Washington, D. C. dec 14-if YOUNG GENTLEMAN, WHO WILL BE EN-A gaged this winter as correspondent of several newspapers in Virginia and New York, is desirous of employing his leisure moments in any description of WRITING whi h may offer a remunerative

compausation. Address "R W," box 546. Washing-Post Office. dec 2-25 EXTENSIVE SALE OF COPPER COOKING
Utensiis, Herses, Carryalls, Furniture, &c., by
order of the Orphans' Court—On THURSDAY
morning, December 19th, at 10 o'clock, in front of
the Auction Rooms, I shall se'l the personal effects
the Auction Rooms, I shall se'l the personal effects
timore, Md., (Slatter's old stand.) Blaves taken on

B.M. & W. L. CAMPBELL. feb 2-17 NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC. N AND AFTER MONDAY NEXT, NOTICKETS

ON AND AFTER MONDAY NEXT, NOTICKET at a less rate than SIX CENTS each will be issued for the Omnibus ses of the subscriber, running betw. Georgetown and Washington, 8 xth street and Navy Yard, and Pennsylvania avenue and the Alexandria Steamboats. The enormously increased price of horse feed, and the increase of wages which have taken place in Washington within the last six years, have made this course necessary on the subscriber's part, as all will perceive who will call to mind the rise of prices reserred to. It has been the subscriber's earnest aim to serve the public faithfully, rendering them the greatest possible amount of accommodation, and he therefore trusts that they cents for each ilde for all persons except children in the arms. He has only to add that the proprietors

more have been compailed in self defence, to adopt the same course. dec 13-1w GILBERT VANDERWERKEN.

25 CENT DAGUERREOTYPES. Now is the time if you want a likeness splendid-ly fluished for a very low sum. We are mak-ing pictures on the best material, and putting them up in the latest style.

Gallery on Pennsylvania avenue, between Ninth
Gallery on Pennsylvania avenue, between Ninth

dec 13-eo3.* DRUG STORE FOR SALE.

A DRUG STORE, eligibly situated, doing an ex-tensive business, and with an ample stock of believing that a strictly cash business is best i'r the best Medicines, Fancy Articles, &c, with all the buyer and seller. I have de ermined to try the ex-

Goods delivered free of expense at any toint in
Washington or Georgetown. Terms cash on delivery.

THOS. H. HAVENNER.

dec 8—6w

order, is offs ed for sale, a great bargain.

The price is \$1,500, which is \$1,000 less than cest.

Any person desiring to purchase can learn particulars by addressing a letter to "Druggist," Washington city.

ler was to-day re-elected a United States Sena.